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SUBJECT: GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO NEPAL $\,$

- 1. YOU WILL HAVE RECEIVED A CIRCULAR CABLE REGARDING OUR EFFORTS TO DEVISE A LIST OF GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR OUR AMERICAN AMBASSADOR. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU WOULD REVIEW THE FOLLOWING DRAFT PAPER AND GIVE US YOUR COMMENTS BY OPENING OF BUSINESS AUGUST 26.
- 2. BEGIN QUOTE: GOALS AND OBJECTIVES.
- (I). SUSTAIN AND CNSOLIDATE GOOD BILATERAL RELATIONS.
- -- MAINTAIN CONTACTS AND GOOD WORKING RELATIONS WITH THE FULL RANGE OF NEPALESE DECISION-MAKERS.
- -- ENCOURAGE THE DEVELOPMENT OF IMPROVED PROCEDURES FOR THE DISPOSITION OF CASES INVOLVING AMERICANS CHARGED WITH CONFIDENTIAL

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LOCAL OFFENSES.

- -- ENCOURAGE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RECENT NARCOTICS CONTROL LEGISLATION THROUGH EFFECTIVE ENFORCEMENT TECHNIQUES.
- (II). PROMOTE OUR OBJECTIVES OF REGIONAL STABILITY AND COOPERATION
- -- SUPPORT GON SELF-CONFIDENCE IN DEALING WITH ITS NEIGHBORS

BY CONTINUED DEMONSTRATION OF U.S. INTEREST IN NEPAL'S INDEPENDENCE AND SOVEREIGNTY.

-- ENCOURAGE THE GON TO CONSIDER IN A POSITIVE MANNER THE CONTRIBUTION TO ITS OWN DEVELOPMENT AND TO REGIONAL CO-OPERATION THAT MIGHT FLOW FROM AN EASTERN WATERS PROPOSAL.

(III). PROMOTE U.S. DEMOCRATIC AND HUMAN RIGHTS OBJECTIVES.

- -- WORK TO SENSITIZE THE GON TO HUMAN RIGHTS CONSIDERATIONS AND TO THEIR OPERATIONAL IMPORTANCE TO U.S. FOREIGN POLICY.
- -- ENCOURAGE THE GON TO PRESS AHEAD WITH THE ADOPTION OF MORE REPRESENTATIVE INSTITUTIONS, IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE NEED FOR AUTHORITARIAN AND REPRESSIVE MEASURES DAMAGING TO HUMAN RIGHTS OBJECTIVES.

(IV). U.S. MULTILATERAL OBJECTIVES.

-- SUPPORT A CONTINUED MODERATE NEPALESE ROLE IN THOSE FORA IN WHICH IT EXERCISES SOME INFLUENCE, I.E. THE NON-ALIGNED COORDINATING COMMITTEE AND IN THE GROUP OF 77. END QUOTE.

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